



ROTH AND GEE WIN FROM NAVY

Local Champions Defeat Two
Officers in Three Sets
Straight.

Roth and Gee demonstrated their ability to defend their title against all comers yesterday afternoon on the Beretania courts by winning from Nicholson and Henderson, the crack Navy team and the winners of the tournament that has been in progress during the week, in straight sets—6-3, 6-0 and 7-5.

In justice to Nicholson and Henderson, it must be said that they were decidedly off their game except in the last set, Nicholson's beautiful backhand drives being conspicuous by their absence, his service uncertain and his entire game erratic and unsteady. Henderson played far more steadily than his partner and would have probably won first place in the tournament if he had been as consistent and careful in the final match against Nicholson. It was an ideal day for tennis, bright and with little or no wind. The band from the U. S. S. Colorado occupied the extreme right end of the enclosure while the veranda and lawn were covered with enthusiastic spectators, and the courts were fairly surrounded by automobiles, carriages and equestrians. The Army and Navy were well represented, the latter rooting vigorously for their champions at all stages of the game.

It is certainly a pleasure to watch Roth and Gee play the game; their team work is perfect and at no time do both men occupy the same side of the court. They relied almost entirely on a net game, Roth's short volleying frequently calling forth applause, while Gee did not miss a single smash at the net during the entire match. Roth was a trifle unsteady at the start as was to have been expected after his long absence from the game, but he more than made up for whatever advantage was gained by his opponents by his brilliant play during the second and third sets. Gee played his usual cool, placing game and playing as they both did today, they would give almost any team a hard rub; they certainly form a combination that will be undefeated for some time to come. Gee and Roth quickly took the lead with three straight games, but the navy experts were there with the goods and tied the score at three all. The steady playing of the Honolulu men was too much for them, however, and the first set was quickly decided at 6-3.

The Honolulu team was invincible during the second set, seeming able to take a point whenever they needed it, and although Henderson and Nicholson made strenuous effort to stem the tide they were compelled to allow their opponents to walk off with the second set without the loss of a single game.

By far the best tennis of the match was played in the third set. The navy players, realizing that it was now or never, played with desperation and for the first time, took the lead. The score went to 3-2 and finally to 4-2 in their favor. With the score 4 games to 2 against them, Roth and Gee took a beautiful brace and tied the score at four all, also taking the ninth game, but the navy men came back strong and tied the score at five games all. The Honolulu men then put on a little extra steam and took the next two games and match.

The navy players were somewhat dissatisfied with their showing and have asked for a return match, which will probably be played off some time the early part of next week.

KAMAANAS VS. SAILORS TODAY

There will be a very interesting game of cricket at Makiki this afternoon. The crack team from the British cruiser Bedford will play the Honolulu C. C. and a very close and exciting game is expected.

The Bedford has had wonderful success with her team in the Orient and handed it to most of the teams her officers played against. The commissioned officers have mostly played for their schools, while the two petty officers who will play have both made excellent averages since they have been on the China station.

The game will start promptly at 2 o'clock. The teams will be about as follows:

H. M. S. Bedford—Captain Fitzherbert, Commander, Trewhay, Captain Mayhew, royal marines; Lieutenants King, Lucas and Douglas, Sublieutenant Pelly, Paymaster, Wilson, Petty Officers Field and Knight and A. N. Other.

H. C. C.—Brown, Anderson, McGill, Maclean, Beardmore, Hatfield, Cockburn, Baird, Gray, Morse and Jordan.

SPORTING EVENTS.

Today.

Cricket match at Makiki, 2 p. m., H. M. S. Bedford vs. Honolulu C. C. Take street marked "Fort street and Punahou," and get off at Makiki street. Makiki field is one short square down from where the car stops. All cars passing the Oceanic wharf, where the Bedford is warped, will take you.

Baseball at the Moiliili league grounds. Diamond Heads vs. U. S. S. Washington, and First West Virginia. Take King street cars running toward Diamond Head; conductor will tell you where to change for the ball grounds; cars running along Hotel street go direct to the grounds.

Boxing at Aloha Park, starting at 8:30 p. m. There will be a full program of events, including the fleet championships in the middle and welterweight classes. Six bouts altogether. Aloha Park is on Hotel street directly opposite the Empire Theater.

Tomorrow. Match Marathon race at Athletic Park, starting at 1:30 p. m. Tsukamoto, the Japanese champion, will race Nigel Jackson, the British-American champion, over the full Marathon distance of 26 miles 385 yards. Athletic Park is a short block inland from the railway station. Take King street cars running in a direction away from Diamond Head.

Baseball at the Moiliili league grounds at 1:30 p. m. Kamehameha College Alumni team vs. cruiser West Virginia, winner of Hongkong cup series; 3:30, National Guard of Hawaii vs. picked team from the fleet.

FOUR BIG GAMES OF BASEBALL

There will be big doings at the league grounds today and tomorrow. This afternoon the Washington team, that has beaten the famous F. F. Vs. once since the fleet has been here, will mix it with the Jewels. This should be a hot game. The Cherry Tree kids will have a chance to show what they can do with what is almost a picked team. Now that the league series is pau the Sparklers have taken on the services of Hampton and Castle, two of the cracks from the Punahou team and it will be every bit as good a team as the one that grabbed victory away from the F. F. Vs. recently.

The second game between the First Family kiddos and the First Hospital corps will surely be a hot one. Sergeant Barry, manager of the First Aid bunch has a hot aggregation out and the winners of the fleet championship and countless cups, will have to go some if they are to come out on top.

Sunday's game will also be full of interest. The Kams have shown themselves remarkably fine individual players and have become more and more of a team since they started this year. They are all young players and are all Hawaiians. They put a snap and go into their playing that makes the fans always certain of a good game when they appear on the diamond.

The Kams challenged the winners of the Hongkong cup series and, as the

TONIGHT'S CARD AT ALOHA PARK.

MacDonald, Tennessee vs. Charlie Reilly, 10 rounds, 133 pounds.

"Thunderbolt" Huggins, Washington vs. Clawson, Washington, 10 rounds, 142 pounds.

Jack Boland, West Virginia vs. Coll, United States Marine Corps, 10 rounds, 133 pounds.

"Spike" Haley, Maryland vs. Kid Terry, U. S. S. Iroquois, 10 rounds, 130 pounds.

Ah Sam vs. Sarconi, 8 rounds, 130 pounds.

The above swagger bill will be presented at Aloha Park tonight, the fun starting at 8:15.

The McCool-Doyle match has been called owing to the latter's inability to appear.

MacDonald has been substituted for Boland as Reilly's opponent. MacDonald passed up Boland and challenged Reilly direct.

Boland will take on Coll of the Marine Corps, the man who was originally scheduled to box MacDonald.

Kid Terry has been given a match with "Spike" Haley of the Maryland. He was after MacDonald's scalp but wanted the latter to weight 130 pounds at 8 o'clock, which the man-of-warman

RUNNERS AND OFFICIALS READY FOR RACE TOMORROW

Tsukamoto and Jackson Have Completed Their
Training and Both Are Equally Confident
of Winning the Victory.

Everything is in readiness for the big Marathon match at the Athletic Park grounds tomorrow afternoon. The officials have been chosen, the score board is ready, the bleachers have been separated from the track, and no deal has been left unlooked after.

The judges will be W. Williamson, W. T. Rawlins and Hon. C. F. Chillingworth. George Turner has consented to act as starter and Les Petrie, the veteran sportsman who has handled a stop-watch often enough to be able to build one, will be there to take the official times. "Doc" Reinecke will be chief scorer. He will keep tab of the laps on the card while two assistants, one to each runner, will attend to the score board.

The place will be well policed and no interference with the runners at the finish will be tolerated. There will be a good place for the press under the grandstand, and absolutely only those with press tickets will be admitted there. This will enable all the Japanese and Chinese reporters to take notes in comfort, not to mention the Hawaiian and English writers. Last time there was some very uncomfortable crowding and many of the local press representatives were peeved on the subject. The management states very emphatically that this will not occur again.

Both men have finished their work. Today they will do a short jog and perhaps a little walking, otherwise they will rest up. Jackson will have his men looking after him carefully, to see that his exuberance of spirits does not prompt him to do any stunts. Nigel is keyed up to a pretty high pitch, and he needs some holding down when he gets that way.

Franklin Sure of Nigel.

Kid Franklin, the man who has been attending to the rubbering department in the Jackson camp, paid a visit to this office last night to state that he is certain that Jackson will win the big Marathon match on Sunday.

"I never saw a man with such marvelous breathing powers," said

West Virginia won this series, it will be the team from that hospitable cruiser that will wrangle with them.

Perhaps the most exciting game of the whole bunch will be the N. G. H. against a picked team from the fleet at 2:30 tomorrow.

The sailors have chosen a very fine aggregation of ball-swatters and the amateur soldiers are not going to have anything of a cinch.

Here is the probable lineup of the fleet team: Rice of the Washington and Martin of the California will both be there to fill the box. Rice will probably twirl first. Monroe, the F. F. V. catcher, will wear the big mitt. He is a dandy man behind the plate and has shown how he can work his team—and sometimes the umpire.

Fadeaway Schaeffer will conduct along the First Avenue carline while

Franklin. "He is full of enthusiasm and seems to want to keep running all the time. He comes from the track after a hard run without any signs of laboring in his chest and the form that he has shown recently makes me quite sure that he will slip it to the Jap."

Such talk, coming from a training camp, is bound to be prejudiced, but there are others who have the same opinion and the genial Nigel has certainly shown great form during the last two weeks.

The question is whether Jackson's natural love of playing to the gallery can be held under. It seems impossible for him to pass the grandstand when the fans cheer and not sprint. If he will hold this desire down and run an even pace all the way, he should be able to make it hard for the Jap.

Jap at His Very Best.

Tsukamoto considers himself to be in better condition than ever in his life before. He is perfectly confident of winning and expects to gain a lead every mile. He states that he will set an even pace and continue it all the way. It will be, so he says, almost as fast as that he set in the ten-mile race, and he states that he will be able to keep it up all the way.

Kaoo Will Challenge.

Antone Kaoo wanted to get in the race yesterday but the runners did not see the force of that proposition as it is to be a match race. But Kaoo will be there at the track and will publicly challenge the winner of the race, to run him any distance more than ten miles.

Should Jackson win, he will doubtless take Kaoo up on the full distance, should Tsukamoto win, he would doubtless like to race Kaoo again over the ten-mile distance.

The race is scheduled to start at 1:30 o'clock, and if what the runners say has anything to do with it, will be over before 4:30 o'clock. Both men are very confident that they can cover the distance in three hours. If they do, it will be a wonderful record considering the climate and other conditions which make it hard to make fast time over a long distance.

transfers will be taken by McGinn at second. Both men are F. F. Vs. and are crackcracks in their positions. Schaeffer has pitched several winning games since the fleet has been here but he shines best on the initial sack. McGinn is the royal swat-artist. He has a wallop like a real old Teddy Roosevelt elephant gun. When he connects with the sphere he knocks it out of shape and it almost always butts into an advertisement on the fence. Sometimes it goes over the fence and reaches the nose of a small boy in the free gallery.

Bush of the Tennessee will take the rubberneck coach down Third Avenue. He has been on the route for a long time and knows all the points of interest. He can handle his crowd in six different languages and never lets a chance go by. O'Connor, another F. F. V., will stand around short and stop the hot grounders. This player has a scoup like a coal shovel and gets them every time, not only from the cellar but also from way up in the skyraiser regions.

McCafferty of the Tennessee will take the middle of the foothills. He is a very sure sky-catcher and can bat with the best of them. Left and right fields respectively will be held down by Snyder and Reed, both of the First Family and both good stickers as well as sure fielders.

N. B.—"Them there National Guard magicians" will have to magish some if they are to slip anything over.

Sport Notes

Leahy Girl and Sunrise will run a quarter-mile match race at Kapiolani Park next Saturday, October 9 at 5 p. m. A Mendon will ride Leahy Girl while Domingo Ferreira, owner of Sunrise, will act as his own jockey.

The A and B teams of the Chinese Minor League will play tomorrow morning at 10:30 opposite the Seaside grounds. The lineups will be: A team: Ah Win, 1b; Kau Pa, c; Heu Choy, p; Sin Son, 2b; Ah Pat, ss; Ah Koi, 3b; Ah Hee, rf; M. Bang, cf; Ah Hon, 1b. B team: Sam Aki, c; Ching Min, p; H. Pong, ss; Chin Wio, 1b; Heu Pat, p; A. Y. On, rf; Kim Pong, 2b; J. M. Chang, lf; C. Shong, cf.

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The enrollment in the Y. M. C. A. night school passed the 100 mark yesterday, though the school does not open until Monday, the day on which most of the students usually enroll. This is almost equal to the total enrollment of last year, which was 114, and shows that there will be at least 150, and



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Educational Secretary of the Honolulu
Young Men's Christian Association.

more likely 175 students in the night classes.

Bookkeeping and mechanical drawing prove to be particularly popular courses, and it is possible that it will be necessary to organize two sections of each of these classes. English, mathematics, stenography and typewriting come in for their share, while a number of boys are enrolled in the employed boys' course, a combination of English, arithmetic, penmanship, geography and history.

Three years ago the night classes numbered but 53 students. The next year the enrollment more than doubled, reaching 109, and last year reached the 114 mark. The educational committee, composed of W. T. Pope, Perley Horne, Edgar Wood and Ernest Kopke, with A. E. Larimer as special secretary for this work, has set its aim at 200, and it is quite likely that with new classes being organized January 1, this mark will be reached. The rooms provided for educational work are no longer adequate to the demands of the institution, and the old hall has to be divided up by means of temporary partitions to accommodate the classes. This arrangement is not completely satisfactory, but the students mean business, and are willing to put up with a little inconvenience to get an education.

At the September meeting of the board of directors, fifty men were elected to association membership, these having applied during the summer. During the three weeks since the directors' meeting, over sixty new applications have come in. If growth is an evidence of life, the Y. M. C. A. is surely alive.

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